### **CHAPTER NO. 51**

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 1992**

## By Representatives McMillan, Head

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1985

# By Senator Kurita

AN ACT relative to the Charter of the City of Clarksville, and to amend Chapter 252 of the Private Acts of 1929, as reenacted by Chapter 292 of the Private Acts of 1957, as amended by Chapter 249 of the Private Acts of 1961, Chapter 291 of the Private Acts of 1967, Chapter 356 of the Private Acts of 1972, Chapter 202 of the Private Acts of 1988, and all other acts amendatory thereto, relative to the pensioning of city officers and employees of the City of Clarksville.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Article VI, Section 16 entitled "Pensioning of Officers and employees" of Chapter 252 of the Private Acts of 1929, as reenacted by Chapter 292 of the Private Acts of 1957, as amended by Chapter 249 of the Private Acts of 1961, Chapter 291 of the Private Acts of 1967, Chapter 356 of the Private Acts of 1972, Chapter 202 of the Private Acts of 1988, and all other acts amendatory thereto, is amended by designating subsection (a) as subdivision (1) and by adding the following language to be designated as subdivision (2):

(2) In addition, the City Council is authorized by ordinance to provide for early retirement of city officers and employees who are eligible for retirement benefits under the provisions of subdivision (1). Such early retirement benefits may include the payment of lump sum bonuses or incentives as part of such plan.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Legislative Body of the City of Clarksville. Its approval or non-approval shall be proclaimed by the Presiding Officer of the City Council of the City of Clarksville and certified to the Secretary of State.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.

PASSED: May 27, 1999

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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